

Calumet Baking Powder

has turned the tables on high price baking powders. The directions on High Price cans are the same as on Calumet cans, viz.: a teaspoonful to a quart of flour, but they say that one can of High Price will go three times as far as any other. Can any claim be more ridiculous? The frantic cry of adulteration, danger and poison made by the high price baking powder people is a blind to intimidate the public and induce them to pay fancy prices for their goods—also to divert attention from this defect in their own goods.

Calumet Baking Powder is safe. Food baked with Calumet is absolutely free from Rochelle Salts, Alum, Lime, Ammonia or any injurious substance.

Monopoly must yield to moderation—
Impurity must improve or go under.
Calumet is the standard.

CALUMET BAKING POWDER CO., Chicago

THE OWOSSO TIMES.

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Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

Mrs. Domke Has Typhoid Fever.

Chicago, April 6.—Mrs. Ernestine Domke, charged with the murder of Ernest Kueneth in 1892, is ill in the little jail at Melrose Park, with typhoid fever. Yesterday morning when Assistant State's Attorney Pearson appeared to conduct the preliminary examination before Justice Dunnebeck her physician, Dr. Klunk, refused to permit her to leave her cell. The hearing was postponed until next Monday.

Back to Go to Japan.

Washington, April 6.—Nominations made yesterday by the president included the following: Alfred E. Buck, of Georgia, to be minister to Japan; James Boyle, of Ohio, consul at Liverpool, England; E. S. Day, of Connecticut, consul at Bradford, England; Fenton R. McCreery, of Michigan, secretary of the legation at the City of Mexico.

Bell Has His Pension Restored.

Washington, April 7.—The secretary of the interior has accepted the resignation of Henry C. Bell, second deputy commissioner of pensions, to take effect immediately. In 1893 Bell voluntarily relinquished his pension, but during the change of officers this month he had it restored with back money.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago, April 6.
The Board of Trade was closed today on account of election and no grain quotations were given.

Chicago Produce.

Produce—Butter: Extra, creamery, 19 1/2c per lb; extra dairy, 17c; fresh packing stock, 9 1/2c. Eggs—Fresh stock, 8 1/2c; per dozen. Live Poultry—Turkeys, 8 1/2c per lb; chickens, 7 1/2c; ducks, 9 1/2c. Potatoes—Burbank, 15c; 62 1/2c per bu; Hebrons, 19 1/2c. Sweet potatoes—Illinois, 50c@51.00 per bbl. Honey—White clover, 11 1/2c per lb; imperfect, 7 1/2c. Apples—Common to fancy, \$1.00@1.75 per bbl.

Milwaukee Grain.

Milwaukee, April 6.
Wheat—No. 2 spring, 69 1/2c; No. 1 northern, 74c; May, 69 1/2c. Corn—No. 2, 23c; No. 2 white, 18 1/2c. Barley—No. 2, 23c; samples, 24 1/2c. Rye—No. 1, 24 1/2c.

Detroit Grain.

Detroit, April 6.
Wheat—Cash white, 84c; cash red, 85c; May, 86 1/2c; July, 72 1/2c.

What use is there in eating when food does you no good—to fact, when it does you more harm than good, for such is the case if it is not digested?

If you have a loathing for food there is no use of forcing it down, for it will not be digested. You must restore the digestive organs to their natural strength and cause the food to be digested, when an appetite will come, and with it a relish for food.

The tired, languid feeling will give place to vigor and energy; then you will put flesh on your bones and become strong. The Shaker Digestive Cordial as made by the Mount Lebanon Shakers contains food already digested and is a digester of foods as well. Its action is prompt and its effects permanent.

Doctors prescribe Laxol because it has all the virtues of castor oil and is palatable.

WILL WED A DETROIT HEIRESS.

Count Manfred von Matschka Arrives to Visit Miss Walker.

Detroit, April 7.—Count Graf Manfred von Matschka, Baron de Toppolzen and Spatzgen, lieutenant in regiment der gardes du corps, is the way a Hungarian count registered at the Russell house Tuesday. His object in coming here is to see his fiancée, Miss Walker, heiress, and daughter of Frank H. Walker. Count Manfred said that he and Miss Walker met in Cairo, Egypt, when they both chanced to be wintering there two years ago. At Mr. Walker's invitation the count journeyed with his American friends through France and Germany. The marriage will not take place for eight or ten weeks yet, and during that interval Count Manfred will remain in Detroit, making frequent trips to Chicago.

The beneficent influences of the newly cut pine are condensed and refined in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, nature's own remedy for coughs and colds.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

Michigan Place Hunters at the Nation's Capital.

COLLECTOR OF PORT OF DETROIT.

Joe Weiss Is Pushing His Candidacy for the Position and Says He Will Get It—Michigan Lumbermen Petition for a Duty of 52 Per Thousand on Rough Lumber—The Senatorial Fight of 1898 Already Under Way.

Washington, April 6.—A number of office-seekers have been here during the past week, the most notable being General Alger's personal and political friend, Major George H. Hopkins, who was formerly collector of the port of Detroit. Major Hopkins is visiting General Alger for the second time since the inauguration of the new administration, and some guessers say that he wants his old position of collector again.

Joe Weiss of Detroit has been here during the past week pushing his candidacy for the particular position, and he says that he will be the next collector of the port of Detroit, no matter what Major Hopkins may do.

Ex-Governor Rich has been here during the past week, but has stated most emphatically that he has no office-seeking inclination or disposition, but came on here to look after the interests of the lumber and other Michigan products likely to be affected by the tariff bill.

Petitions from Lumbermen.

Michigan senators are receiving a number of petitions and memorials from various parts of the state concerning the pending revenue bill. For example, Senator Burrows recently presented the petition of Joseph M. Brower and fifty other citizens of northern Michigan connected with the shingle manufacturing industry praying for a duty of 35 cents per 1,000 on pine and cedar shingles imported from Canada, New Brunswick, and British Columbia. He also presented the petition of J. W. Dempsey of Marquette and ninety-nine other citizens of Michigan engaged in the manufacture of lumber and shingles, praying for a duty of not less than \$2 per 1,000 feet on all kinds of rough lumber, and of not less than 35 cents per 1,000 on imported shingles. He also presented the petition of Blodgett & Davis Lumber company and twenty-five other citizens and firms engaged in the manufacture of lumber at Menominee, praying for a duty of \$2 per 1,000, board measure. All of these and similar petitions and memorials have been referred to the committee on finance, and will there receive consideration during the preparation of the new tariff bill, because it will be a new tariff bill and altogether different from the measure which has just passed the house of representatives.

The impression prevails that the \$2 rate on lumber will receive favorable consideration by the present committee on finance, and that it will pass the senate with the Dingley bill some time in the "sweet bye and bye."

Michigan Senators Will Take Part.

The Michigan senators will both take part in the discussion of the Dingley bill. Senator McMillan is not an orator, but it will be remembered that during the discussion of the Wilson bill three years ago the senior senator delivered a speech demanding protection to the interests of Michigan, and his remarks attracted wide attention. The New York Sun printed a full column editorial commending the speech.

At that time Senator Burrows was in the house of representatives and a member of the committee on ways and means. He had office room on the same floor with your correspondent, and at that time prepared a speech, the delivery of which occupied nearly two hours. Burrows, of course, is a born orator, and his utterances always attract attention and commendation.

Congressman E. L. Hamilton of the Fourth congressional district is the only new member of the Michigan delegation who spoke on the tariff bill. He has a good voice, plenty of self-confidence, easy delivery, and graceful gestures. He made a very favorable impression. Place for Congressman Spaulding's Friend.

Congressman Spaulding has been promised a place in the new congressional library for one of his constituents, and has sent for him to come to Washington, but will not now divulge the young man's name.

Colonel E. S. Pierce of Grand Rapids has been made assistant sergeant-at-arms. He is a distinguished soldier, and is exceptionally popular in Grand Army circles.

The position of local inspector of bulls at Grand Haven has not been filled. The death of the recent incumbent created a vacancy which the civil service commission endeavored to fill by bringing a deputy from Chicago. Congressman Alden Smith, accompanied by the senators, made such determined opposition to this proposition that the deputy was withdrawn, and the vacancy still exists.

There have been a number of applications for this position, but all of them are from men more than 55 years of age. Under the rules no man who has passed the age of 55 can be appointed inspector of bulls.

For the Good of the Service.

The Michigan delegation is a unit in favor of removing from the civil service classification all members of pension examining boards. They also are endeavoring to induce the civil service commission to take the deputy collectors of internal revenue, and the deputy collectors of customs, from the civil service classification, in order that the collectors who are responsible for large sums of money, may have opportunity to appoint their own confidential clerks. They do not put it on the ground that they want the spoils, but that it is necessary for the good of the service.

It is well understood that the senatorial fight of 1898 is already practically begun. The members of the state senate next to be elected will be in the legislature which elects the successor to Senator Burrows. Of course, it is known that the senator is a candidate to succeed himself, and his friends are perfectly confident that he will be re-elected. Nevertheless, they realize that ex-Senator John Patton of Grand Rapids is very popular, not only in the western part of the state, but throughout the commonwealth. They realize also that Schuyler S. Olds of Lansing

is one of the shrewdest politicians in this country. He has been heretofore engaged in managing the election of senators, and is ambitious to become a senator himself.

Abilities Appreciated.

While he was private secretary to Senator Stockbridge and clerk of the committee on fisheries, he received a salary of \$2,000 per annum as clerk of the committee, and also drew the \$5,000 salary, which was due the senator. The fact that he was given \$7,000 per annum for his presence and political counsel, demonstrates the fact that his political abilities have been appreciated; and his friends believe that they will be further appreciated by the next Michigan legislature.

The Michigan senators and representatives are receiving numerous petitions from educational institutions throughout the state, requesting that articles, impeded for educational purposes, shall remain on the free list in the Dingley bill. These memorials are filed with the committee on finance, and will receive consideration when the bill is taken up for final revision by the committee. The Michigan senators will appear before that committee and have a hearing concerning the protection necessary for Michigan men and Michigan materials.

Should Stand Aside Now.

President McKinley looks at the office-seeking fellows who held office under the Harrison administration with a dubious aspect. He has not issued an order, nor a pronouncement, as President Cleveland did four years ago, but he is daily informing all callers that the men who held office need not think that their former officeholding will be of any benefit to them in the present quest of patronage. On the contrary, he says that the men who have held office ought to be modest enough to stand aside now and let others have a chance at the pie counter.

Ex-Senator Bruce of Mississippi, who has been register of the treasury and recorder of deeds, applied for one of his former positions, and President McKinley said: "You have had your share. I realize the strength of the colored Republican voters in this country, and I recognize you as a leader of your race, but I have adopted a line of policy which I shall pursue to the end. The men who have held office must wait for the men who have never been favored, but who deserve federal recognition."

Protection for American Citizens.

Spanish Minister de Lome has been informed that the government at Washington will insist upon complete protection to the rights of American citizens in Cuba, regardless of what reasons may be entertained for suspecting them of sympathy or complicity with the insurgents on that island. The Spanish minister has also been informed that the present administration has absolute confidence in the conservatism and wisdom of Consul General Lee.

Ten days ago the authorities at Madrid were informed of the proposed policy of the new administration. Since that time the secretary of state has been advised that unusual leniency and forbearance have been exhibited by the officials in Havana, and a number of American citizens, arrested on suspicion, have been released upon the request of General Lee. During the consideration of the arbitration treaty in an executive session of the senate Senator Davis of Minnesota, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, said: "I believe that this treaty of arbitration, as amended by the committee, should be very promptly ratified. I am particularly anxious that this shall be done without delay, because our foreign relations with another government have become somewhat strained since the beginning of the new executive administration. We need a friendly understanding with Great Britain without delay."

Sympathy for Mrs. Ruiz.

It seems that President McKinley was deeply impressed with the story of Madame Ruiz, who claims that her husband was foully murdered in a Spanish prison while he was under suspicion of being in sympathy with the Cuban insurgents. Secretary of State Sherman was also interested in the story of the widow. He personally assured her of his sympathy, and took the hands of each of the little orphans, and patted their heads in an affectionate manner. People say that John Sherman is cold-blooded. May be he is in the political arena; but he is a man of strong Americanism and perfect patriotism.

The president and secretary of state have been in perfect harmony on this subject, and when the citizenship of Dr. Ruiz shall have been established beyond controversy, the claim of his widow for damages will be presented to the government at Madrid. Whether Dr. Ruiz was murdered in prison or not remains to be demonstrated by evidentiary facts. One thing is certain, he entered that prison a well man; he was taken out an attenuated and bruised corpse. His widow and children are pleading for justice, although vengeance might be a more appropriate word.

It may be stated authoritatively that the president desires the maintenance of friendly relations with Spain, and it is also fully understood that the declaration in his inaugural address was well weighed when he said that the rights of American citizens shall be respected and preserved everywhere.

Hancock Promoted.

Superintendent Hancock has been promoted to be chief of the stationery division in the pension office. He is a brother of the late General Hancock and has always been a Democrat. His former salary was \$1,400 and his present salary \$2,000 per annum. Secretary of the Interior Bliss was a warm personal friend of General Hancock, and he made the promotion because of that personal relation with the deceased soldier. The action of Secretary Bliss causes considerable criticism; but, inasmuch as the chief clerkship is in the classified service, and no Republican could be appointed, the well-informed and broad-based men are warmly commending the action of the secretary in this case.

Major Charles W. Watkins of Grand Rapids, Mich., is a candidate for the office of third assistant postmaster general. His congressman has exhibited to the president a copy of a telegram which Major Watkins sent to President Cleveland on March 4, 1885, which reads: "I hereby resign the office of collector of internal revenue to take effect upon receipt of this dispatch. To the victor belongs the spoils." Major Watkins believed that the Democrats should have the offices, and now believes that it is proper for Republicans to receive recognition.

STATE NEWS NOTES.

MICHIGAN ITEMS WHICH WILL BE OF GENERAL INTEREST.

Short Review of the Work of the State Solons at Lansing—Other News of Interest from All Over the Great State Reported by Telegraph.

Lansing, Mich., April 2.—The senate indulged in a protracted debate Wednesday afternoon over a resolution instructing the Michigan congressmen to vote for the postal service mifwptol vote for the postal savings bank bill. The vote against giving such instruction was decisive. The house has passed to third reading the curfew bill, which limits the time during which residents under 16 years of age may be on the streets of municipalities to 8 o'clock in the summer and 9 o'clock in winter. Newsboys and children engaged in other business pursuits are exempted.

Lansing, Mich., April 3.—A substitute has been reported for the Chamberlain anti-prize fight bill, which prohibits the reproduction of any prize fight or athletic encounter by means of the biograph, vitascope, kinetoscope, or any such device. A substitute has also been reported for what is known as the W. C. T. U. anti-elgarrette bill, about which there is some doubt as to constitutionality. It provides that it shall be a misdemeanor for the minor under 17 years purchasing cigarettes or tobacco, as well as the seller. The house committee on railroads reported adversely upon the flat 2-cent fare bill, local taxation of railroads' property, and the bill prohibiting discrimination in freight and passenger rates. A bill providing for transportation of bicycles as baggage was reported favorably, but the railroad companies are released from liability for damage when they shall have provided suitable appliances for their protection inside the baggage cars.

No One Dies.

No one dies of pulmonary disease who takes "77" in time. Twenty per cent—one in five—die of pulmonary diseases, colds, grip, pneumonia, consumption, who could be saved by the timely use of "77." Dr. Houghton's famous specific.

Since "77" came into general use the fatality has decreased and it only remains for its adoption as a national remedy, to rob our climate of its terrors. For sale by all druggists, 25c.

Consolidation of Mines Mooted.

Houghton, Mich., April 3.—It now seems tolerably certain that the Copper Falls, Arnold and Humboldt copper mines in Keweenaw will be consolidated and worked as one property in the near future. The Arnold is at present the only active property after several years' idleness. Work will probably be begun by April 15 on the three mines now bought here by the Isle Royal Consolidated company.

Serious and Novel Accident.

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 7.—E. H. Madejesky, a medical student from Ironwood, Mich., while dissecting a body dropped a knife into his pocket and then accidentally struck it a violent blow. The blade was driven into his thigh to the bone, and as it was covered with diseased matter the wound may prove fatal. It was difficult to disinfect it. He fainted from the pain.

Option on Copper Mines.

Houghton, Mich., April 7.—Messrs. J. H. Elmore and Frank Vandusen of Green Bay, Wis., have secured options on the Minnesota and National copper mines at Rockland, Ontonagon county. These are mass mines and paid nearly \$2,000,000 in dividends in the early days of Lake Superior mining. Both have been idle for more than ten years.

The misery of years has been cured in a single night by the use of Doan's Ointment, a positive, never-failing remedy for itching knees it, or can get it for you.

Unknown Follower Killed.

Menominee, Mich., April 5.—An unknown follower, aged about 30 years, was run over by a freight train on the Metropolitan branch of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad near that place, and instantly killed. The man lay across the rails fast asleep. He had, one arm and both legs were cut off.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Warner's White Wine of Tar Syrup, the best cough remedy on earth. 25 and 50 cts. All druggists.

Sale of the Grand Rapids Democrat.

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 3.—The Daily Democrat, the leading paper of western Michigan, was sold yesterday to Elliott G. Stevenson, of Detroit, for \$75,000 on foreclosure of a mortgage to secure an issue of \$25,000 bonds. Stevenson was at one time chairman of the Democratic state central committee and a partner of Don Dickinson.

Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New Great Remedy American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidney, back and every part of the urinary passages in male and female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by Johnson & Henderson, druggists, Owosso, Mich.

Farms for Sale.

A farm of 70 acres, 1 1/2 miles north and west of Owosso city limits; 40 acres improved, will be sold cheap; also 40 acres 1 mile west of Carland, all improved with good orchard and some out buildings. For particulars enquire of or address

E. W. MASON, Barton, Mich.

CASTORIA.

Just what you want: A model country home, situated one mile south of the city—the old Stock farm, consisting of 70 acres; all improved; good buildings; new silos; tabling for 30 head of cattle, granary, season shed and corn crib, each separate, is not a rented, run out piece of land, but the finest home in Shiawassee county; good arable well and new wind mill. Will be sold on a basis with the times. Will take \$1,500 in cash, balance long time if desired. For particulars see Lingle & McDaniel.

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Something to Depend On.

Mr. James Jones, of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, said that last winter his wife was attacked with a gripe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into hasty consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in store, and seeing lots of it, he took a bottle home, and to the surprise of all she began to get better from first dose, and half dozen dollar bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at Collins' drug store.

NAVIGATION OF GREEN BAY.

Opening Will Be Earlier This Year Than Expected.

Menominee, Mich., April 2.—Navigation will be opened at this port much earlier than was predicted a week ago. A telephone message has been received by Agent Allison of the Ann Arbor railroad office from Emphram on the east shore of the bay, stating that Death's Door was clear of ice, while reports from Cedar River and other points north of here are to the effect that the bay is open north and east of Cedar River.

It is also reported that there is an opening through the ice between there and "The Door" north of Whaleback. Open water is also reported between Door bluff and Sister island. On the east shore one of the Ann Arbor car ferries expects to leave Frankfort for Menominee by way of "The Door," and it is believed that by running straight across from "The Door" to the west shore, north of the Whaleback, thence to this port, instead of running the risk of encountering windrows of ice between the shoals and Chambers island, she would have little or no difficulty in cutting her way through, as the ice is much weaker near the shore than in deep water.

As an evidence of the weak condition of the ice, the stages have been taken off the Sturgeon bay route, and teaming on the ice north of here is no longer safe. Agent Allison has communicated the condition of affairs to headquarters, and it is thought the course just described will be adopted by the boat's master. Captain Golden expects to leave for Frankfort, and will follow the big car ferry through the ice to this port with the tug Golden, and also render any assistance that may be necessary.

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Caloused Lumps and Swellings from horses, Blood Spavins, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney, King-bone, Stiles, Sprains, all swollen Throats, Couachs, etc. Saves \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the best wonderful Blemish Cure ever known. Sold by Johnson & Henderson, druggists, Owosso, Mich.

The Michigan Central R. R. wish to advise the traveling public that since the opening up of their new line for Ohio and Pennsylvania territory in connection with the U. S. & M. R. R. from Jackson, it is in a position to handle all business for the south at as low rates as any line out of Owosso and time superior to any.

J. B. GLASGOW, Agent.

Trotting Bred Stallion For Sale.

I offer for sale the stallion Eugene Wilson 5393, sired by Louis Napoleon, dam by Indianapolis, 3 1/2, sire of Budd Doble 2133. Eugene Wilson is the sire of Green Wilson, 3294. For terms inquire of D. Dutcher, Corunna.

It's Growing Bigger.

Our business has so increased we must move into larger quarters. For the next 30 days we will make magazine work a specialty. A card will bring our agents to call on you. Owosso City Book Bldg. C. C. Chapman, Prop.

For Sale, Draught Horse.

Gray gelding, Percheron, five years old, broken, kind, sound, 16 hands high, weighs 1,500 pounds. In every respect a complete draught horse. GEO. S. HUNTINGTON, March 34, 1897. Ovid, Mich.

CHEAP EXCURSIONS TO THE WEST AND NORTHWEST.

On March 16, April 6 and 20, 1897, the North Western Line (Chicago & North Western Ry.) will sell Home Seekers' excursion tickets at exceptionally low rates to a large number of points in Northern Wisconsin, Michigan, Northwestern Iowa, Western Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota and South Dakota, including the famous Black Hills district. For full particulars apply to ticket agents of connecting lines.

Can't Eat

This is the complaint of thousands at this season. They have no appetite; food does not relish. They need the toning up of the stomach and digestive organs, which a course of Hood's Sarsaparilla will give them. It also purifies and enriches the blood, cures that distress after eating and internal misery only a dyspeptic can know, creates an appetite, overcomes that tired feeling and builds up and sustains the whole physical system. It so promptly and efficiently relieves dyspeptic symptoms and cures nervous headaches, that it seems to have almost "a magic touch."

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pills, aid digestion, etc.

Commissioner's Notice.

In the matter of the estate of Martin Welch, deceased. We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Hon. Matthew Bush, Judge of Probate in and for the county of Shiawassee, state of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said estate, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the bank of M. L. Stewart & Co., in the city of Owosso, in said county, on the 15th day of June, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days for the purpose of receiving and adjusting claims against said estate, and that six months from the 15th day of March, 1897, are allowed to creditors to present their claims to said commissioners for adjustment and allowance. Dated the 5th day of March, A. D. 1897. WILLIAM H. HIGLOW, FRED EDWARDS, Commissioners.